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TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES =  Reduction by ½ for small entity status of applicant  SUBTOTAL =  Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition)							
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The Director is authorized to charge any fee, additional fee or extension fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555:  (1) if no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith; or (2) if no petition for extension of time is enclosed but an EOT is required - and in this event, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely.							

Date: September 17, 2008

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## OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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SIR:

Upon review of the Notice of Allowance dated July 18, 2008, the Applicants have noted several minor typographical errors in the Notice of Allowability as follows:

On page 3, line 8 and page 7, line 9 of the Notice of Allowability, please note that the reference to "FI" should actually be "F". This inadvertent error is also being corrected by the submission herewith of an amendment under 37 CFR §1.312.

In addition, on page 3, line 15 and page 7, line 6, Applicants submit that the reference to "5:9~ to 98:2" should be deleted, and that the ratio of the segment A to segment B in the segmented fluoropolymer should read "30:70 to 90:10 wt.%". This amendment had previously been made to the claims by Applicants in an Amendment filed April 28, 2008 (see amendment to Claim 30).

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Respectfully submitted,

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## **ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR §1.312**

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Sir:

This Reply is being filed after the Notice of Allowance issued July 18, 2008.

Please consider the amendments and responsive remarks provided herewith.

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.